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# Announce Students' Council Debt Now Wiped Off Slate

## Stadium Agreement Between Graduates and Students Council Passed With One Amendment, at Students' Society Meeting

A sympathetic attitude with the careful retraction of the Students' Council approval of the Council's action with regard to the new Stadium, together with the welcome announcement that the colossal debt incurred three years ago and at last wiped off the slate, were the outstanding features of the semi-annual meeting of the Students' Society held yesterday morning at the Union.

Over two hundred members of the society were gathered in the assembly hall of the Union when the meeting was called to order, while many more arrived after the meeting of the Senior year, called for the same hour at Strathcona Hall, had completed its business.

As the first item of business to be disposed of, the minutes of the annual meeting, held last autumn, were read by the secretary, Howard A. Melville, and adopted. Following this, C. J. Tidmarsh, president of McGill Daily, presented his report upon the affairs of the Daily for the past season. The Daily, he said, had progressed very favorably indeed, and to support his contention Mr. Tidmarsh produced a financial estimate to June 30, showing an estimated surplus of \$553.13. This surplus, he said, speaks well for the

past management of the Daily. All thanks for the position in which the undergraduate newspaper stands are due to H. C. Beatty, who acted as president during the greater part of the year, and Eric A. Leslie, the retiring editor-in-chief. Mr. Tidmarsh spoke of the new organization, whereby representatives from each class are elected to the editorial staff, and also referred to the arrangement of duties. There had been considerable talk of men who had given time to the paper, but had received no recognition for his work. This was now done away with by the inauguration of an arrangement whereby scroll pins are presented to members of the staff upon the completion of a certain period in active connection with the newspaper. By this means it is hoped to stimulate increased interest in the Daily. Mr. Tidmarsh also referred to the constitution of the Daily, recently passed; putting the organization on a firm basis and paving the way for greater facility in production next season. The special war contingent edition of the Daily, considerably delayed owing to the increase in size, and called for mention in Mr. Tidmarsh's report. An explanation with regard to distribution of the edition was made. Each undergraduate is entitled to one copy of the issue, distribution to take place at the Union. In order that students may be enabled to secure additional copies, if desired, these will be on sale three days before being placed in the hands of the city news-vendors. Upon motion, the report was adopted. The financial statement of the Students' Council dealing with actual expenditure up to February 20, and printed in yesterday's issue of the Daily, was presented. Mr. Matthews explained that this report does not cover a large part of the receipts of the council. The report of estimated receipts and expenditure for the financial year ending June 30 was also presented.

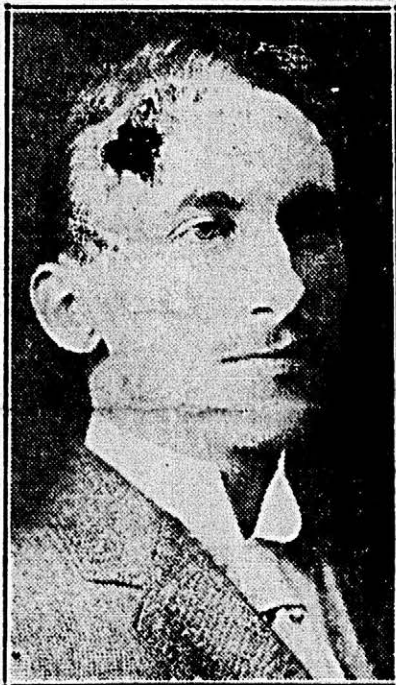
In connection with this last report, the President called attention to the fact that the estimated surplus of \$2,142.54, was largely due to the sacrifices which the minor clubs had made. The apportionment usually allotted to each of these had been cut down, and the clubs themselves closely watched. "The Students' Council, early in the session, resolved that it would not go in the hole this year, and the result is that we have to trim over this sum," said Mr. Matthews. A debt of \$1,236.61, a portion of the tremendous debt contracted three years ago, was inherited by this year's council. This should now be wiped out and a balance left to the credit of the council. (Applause.)

One of the most important matters brought before the Students' Council since its formation was how Mr. Matthews referred to the question of the new stadium. The next matter brought up for discussion

was the question of whether the Stadium should be managed by the Students' Council in the interests of the students or not. A proposition had been placed before the Students' Council by a committee of the graduates and after much discussion the agreement published in a recent issue of the Daily was drawn up.

Upon this matter considerable discussion ensued. Allan Oliver asked if the agreement gave the Students' Council absolute control of the Stadium. Mr. Matthews explained that it had a control over the Stadium similar to that now exercised over activities directed by the Council. In answer to a query by H. A. Sargent, the president expressed himself as quite confident that the interest payment would be more than met by the gate receipts. It would be illegal for the university to rent out its grounds, since in such a case it would be liable to taxation. A. N. Withey asked if student control of the Stadium management had been adequately provided for. It was explained that all financial matters were in the control of the Students' Council subject to the approval of a committee, appointed by a committee, upon which the Council was represented by two of its mem-

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J. A. MATTHEWS,  
President of the Students' Council,  
who retires at the end of the  
present term



A. S. LAMB,  
Introduced as New President of the  
Council at yesterday's meeting  
of the Students' Society.

## '1916' Annual Will Contain Many Features

Book Dedicated to "Our Heroes"  
Is Decidedly Patriotic in  
Its Tone

IS TO BE BEST  
YET PUBLISHED

Work of Editors is Done and  
Students Are Urged to  
Patronize It

It would be hard to imagine a more suitable memento of one's college days than the "Annual," the oldest-established student publication at McGill. That this fact has been appreciated by students in past years, the immense popularity of former issues bears ample testimony.

No pains have been spared by the Editorial Board to make this year's "Annual" a success in the strictest sense of the word, and it is with a feeling of nearly approaching to confidence as the circumstances permit, that they place "Old McGill 1916" before the critical eye of the student body. The editors feel that they have succeeded in producing a book that will be a credit to their year and to the university, and that will compare quite favorably with the excellent editions of former years.

The peculiar circumstances under which this year's college work has been carried on, as a result of the war, combine to make this session the most memorable in the history of McGill. Every student now at McGill will look back in after years, to the session 1914-15 as to a landmark in his career and that of the college. What better souvenir could one want of such an epoch in college life, than to make this year's Annual different from all previous issues. Many changes and innovations have been introduced. A great deal of "dead matter" has been thrown overboard and

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## Students in English Will Organize Club

Discussions on Subjects Connected  
With Course in Dept. of  
English to be Held

It is quite probable that before the session closes arrangements will be completed for the organization of a club or society drawing its membership from students of the Department of English, with the object of holding discussions at regular intervals during the college year upon subjects connected with the courses provided by the department. Similar organizations are already in existence in connection with the Departments of History and Economics and Philosophy and are receiving excellent support from the men who comprise their membership. The project has been outlined to the different English classes of the Faculty of Arts and has met with a most favorable reception at the hands of the students. Some eighteen men from the present junior year have signified their intention of joining the organization, and with similar support promised from the other years, the club is assured of a sound working basis. It is expected that an organization meeting will be held shortly at which further details in connection with the proposed society will be discussed by members of the teaching staff of the department, all of whom are in hearty sympathy with the project.

## Futurities

To-day

Union House Committee Elections,  
5.00 p.m.—Annual Meeting of Ten-  
nis Club in Strathcona Hall.  
R. V. C. Demonstration.

To-morrow

R.V.C. DEMONSTRATION,  
8.15—Electrical Society Meeting,  
1.00—R.V.C. Undergrad. Meeting,  
5.00—Annual Meeting of "Lit." in  
Strathcona Hall.

Mar. 21—Battalion Church Parade.  
Mar. 22—Prof. Leacock at Windsor  
Hall.  
Mar. 23—Chemical Society Meeting.  
Mar. 24—Annual Concert of Students'  
Orchestra.  
" Meeting of Union House Com-  
mittee.

Mar. 27—Y.W.C.A. Tea.

## Orchestra Is Deserving of Good Support

Splendid Programme Arranged  
For Concert to be Held  
March 24

PREPARATION IS  
WELL UNDER WAY

Students' Orchestra Will Give its  
Annual Concert Within  
a Week

The Students' Orchestra, of McGill University, was founded three years ago by a group of students, who felt sure that such a body would meet a genuine need and desire among the undergraduates at large. They recognized a wish on the part of certain earnest amateur musicians at McGill to become efficient orchestral performers, and, furthermore, they believed there existed a certain interest in and demand for the better grades of popular music, and the lighter grades of classical music at the university.

This latter opinion has lately been called in question as never before. After an exceptionally successful winter, musically, but not financially, the orchestra has prepared a most attractive programme for its annual concert. Two or three of the most popular numbers have been culled from the previous concerts, and to these have been added a whole series of delightful selections, which are at once very effective, and well within the grasp of the orchestra as it now stands. The overture, "Hungarian Lustspiel," is likely to be received with the greatest enthusiasm. The clarinet concerto is of the kind that never tires the listener, no matter how often it is heard. And the solo numbers are just as pleasing as the artists know how to make them.

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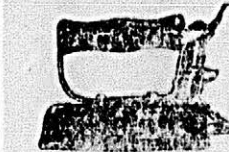
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## The Session In Review

It is to activities in military pursuits rather than to those in the realm of athletics or scholarship that we turn at the close of the year of publication which this issue of the McGill Daily marks. The greater part of our attention, and rightly so, has been devoted during the months in other years consumed in college routine, to matters bearing an intimate connection with the part which the Empire is playing in the struggle now ensuing on the battlefields of Europe. The achievements of the University in athletics during the past session have been not inconsiderable; studies have been allowed to run their ordinary course with varying success, but both are overshadowed, as well as all other student activities, by endeavors on the part of the majority of the Student Body to fit themselves for service, through association with the reconstructed C.O.T.C. or other University units. There seems little reason to doubt that the McGill Battalion C.O.T.C. has succeeded in its primary object, the laying down of as full a knowledge of military training as was attainable under the circumstances, and that is due in no small degree to the men, both graduates and students, who have liberally devoted of their time and energy in the organization and development of the Battalion. The place taken in this regard by members of the Graduates' Society is especially worthy of note.

The action of the Faculties of Arts and Applied Science in granting concessions to men attending drills of the Battalion regularly, demands consideration in a summary of the session's events. By relieving members of the Regiment from a certain amount of their academic duties, these two Faculties have accomplished a great deal towards furthering the work of the Battalion and contributed materially towards the attainment of a higher standard of efficiency. The practical field work done by the Battalion since its formation has also had its effect, and the spring training camp to be held in May will also, no doubt, register its mark on the side of efficiency. McGill men have every reason to feel proud of the success which has attended the work done by the Battalion.

To provide a suitable infantry unit in which McGill men might become enrolled for Overseas service, arrangements were made with the 38th Royal Ottawa Regiment, whereby a double company, commonly known as the "Overseas Company," would be connected with that Battalion. In consequence of the large number of students who had joined other units, recruiting among the students themselves for the Overseas Company did not at first meet with the response which would appear to have been its due. More favourable results appear to have since attended recruiting efforts, and it is expected that, with the aid of detachments from colleges affiliated with McGill and from other Universities, the Overseas Company will shortly have its full complement of men.

Rivalling the infantry units in the importance of its work, though not so general in its composition or enjoying so long an existence is No. 3 (McGill) General Hospital, which the University will place on the lines of communication in France before many more months elapse. It is gratifying to note that although not the only Hospital offered from Canadian Universities, the McGill General Hospital set the pace which the University of Toronto and Queen's University have since followed. Offered by McGill graduates and members of the Faculty of Medicine's teaching staff, and with its ranks filled for the greater part with undergraduates of this University, the McGill General Hospital promises to be a unit creditable in every way to the institution whose name it bears, and to the men who by their organizing ability have placed it in the position which it occupies at the present day. Not a whit less important than the work which will be done on the firing line by the Overseas Company, will be that which members of the Hospital will be called upon to do on the lines of communication. The Allies forward movement, now apparently well under way, will result in their losses being considerably in excess of those met with during the winter spent in the trenches. Then will the field hospitals be called upon to do their utmost, and we feel sure that the McGill General Hospital, with its efficient staff and splendid additional equipment provided through the generosity of friends of the University, will not be found wanting.

McGill is already represented in the British forces in France by a number of men who are connected with either the British or Canadian Expeditionary Forces. The generous attitude of the Faculties in granting years or degrees to these, and to other men who have enlisted for Overseas service is deserving of special mention. There have been few restrictions placed by the Faculties in the way of students who have made known their desire to join the colours, and that this should be the case is all the more to the credit of the University.

Thanks to the facilities and opportunities offered by these units, McGill can feel satisfied that she has done much towards turning out a creditable body of men which will be fit to do its share in the Empire's defence.

Early in the session, it was decided that no clash should take place between military and athletic events, and the wisdom of this has been apparent since the attainment of a certain physical standard is a pre-requisite for military service. Notwithstanding that this was the case, however, it was disappointing to notice the poor support which was accorded our hockey club at its games, certainly not support which it deserved. Although unable to carry off the honours in either football or hockey, in both of which a splendid spirit was, however, exhibited, the University's athletic representatives were successful in obtaining the championships in several other branches of competitive athletics. Taking all in all, the University can look back upon a most satisfactory season of athletics, when consideration is given the difficulties under which each of these was conducted. Credit is due the men, who, often in the face of disappointment and trying circumstances, put their shoulder to the wheel and kept the ball rolling.

Enough has perhaps already been said in these columns concerning the apathetic attitude which the Student Body has seen fit

to adopt towards undergraduates' affairs in general. This may be explained in many ways, but probably most clearly by an examination of the timetable of each student with due allowance for military activities, and also by a knowledge of the spirit of unrest which can be seen on every hand. It is gratifying, nevertheless, when all this is considered, to learn that the Students' Council, by careful management of finances, is enabled to look forward to an estimated surplus of over \$2,000, and that by this means the debt incurred some years ago will shortly be a thing of the past.

So far as the Daily is concerned, there can be little cause for complaint. With few members of last year's staff available, for one reason or another, the incoming editor-in-chief was faced with a situation which to say the least was not encouraging. Thanks to Mr. Leslie's organizing ability and to the co-operation of the staff which he gathered around him, the Daily was enabled to regain its footing after a short elapse of time, and has since, we have confidence in saying, enjoyed a most prosperous existence.

Great events will come to pass before another session. Of that we may rest assured. To those McGill men who are already at the front and to those who will be there shortly the McGill Daily can do nothing but wish every success, at the same time expressing its fervent hope that all may return safely home after serving their country faithfully in whatever duty they may be called upon to perform; to those who will find themselves passing the usual round of summer activities, the Daily would wish health and prosperity, coupled with success in the examinations now so close upon us, and any other undertaking they may assume.

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## STUDENTS' MILITARY CAMPS HELD BY U.S. GOVERNMENT.

During the summer of 1915 there will be four Students' Military Instruction Camps in the United States: one of Chincago Park, Ga., from July 5 to August 8; one at or near Plattsburg Barracks, N.Y., same dates; one at Ludington, Mich., same dates; and one at or near the Presidio of San Francisco, Cal., from June 25 to August 1. Last summer a large number of students attended these camps and found the training there very valuable for the following reasons: he physical benefits derived from the active, out-door life; the mutual reading influences of intimate associations with students of other institutions; the increase in business

efficiency through habits of obedience, order, and self-control; and finally the military training and study of organization as exemplified in first-class modern armies.  
The expenses are not heavy. The student may pay travelling expenses to and from the camp. Ample meals are furnished at the rate of \$3.50 a week. The government provides—gratis—the major part of the equipment, so that all the student must purchase in this line is the uniform, which costs from \$5 to \$10. The average total cost of attending one of the camps is about \$25.

To be stupid when you wish and dull when inclined is a boon that goes only with high friendship.



# THE MILITARY HAPPENINGS AT OLD MCGILL

## Urgent Call to McGill Men to Take Up Arms For The Empire

To the Editor, McGill Daily,  
Montreal, Que.

Montreal, March 17th, 1915.

Dear Sir,—

On several occasions I have spoken to the members of the McGill Battalion regarding enlistment in the McGill Overseas Company and as to-morrow will be your last issue may I, through your kindness, seize the opportunity of saying a last word on the subject?

Up to the present I have refrained from making any strong appeal on behalf of the McGill Overseas Company, feeling assured that the McGill men would decide for themselves and enthusiastically support their own unit. I may frankly state that I am disappointed. I have hoped that each day would see a change of feeling and the ranks speedily filled from members of the Battalion.

Up to the present time 160 men have been sworn in out of which 28 or less than 20 p.c. are members of the Battalion. The establishment to-day is approximately 700 so that only 4 p.c. have joined the Overseas Company. It is true that some 250 members of the Battalion are now enlisted for active service in other units. We can, accordingly, be proud of our war record but we would have been prouder had there been more of these men now serving in our own representative unit.

Supported and encouraged by the Militia authorities, the McGill Battalion was formed with three primary objects:

- First: To train officers.
- Second: To prepare the way for the formation of specialist units by giving all a thorough grounding in Infantry training.
- Third: The formation of an Infantry Company or Companies for Overseas service either separately or in conjunction with other Universities.

With regard to the first, we are about to fulfill our duty in that next week some 190 men are presenting themselves for examination as officers, and up to the present date, the Battalion has actually furnished some seventy-five officers to active service units and other Militia corps.

With regard to Specialist Units the Militia authorities were unable to supply us with instruction and equipment and they have repeatedly refused to grant authority for the formation of any Specialist Unit at McGill with the exception of the No. 2 Base Hospital.

The Wireless Unit, after being formed and trained, was eventually refused and the men obliged to enlist as Telegraph Operators. Specialist Units being impossible, the Battalion adopted an extensive and thorough training in all branches of Infantry work.

When it was found that men were leaving daily and enlisting in the ranks of Infantry and other corps, it was deemed advisable to immediately form an Infantry Company for Overseas service; it being felt that an opportunity should be afforded University men of training and going to the front with men of their own class and under officers who would take a sincere interest in their welfare and comfort.

Accordingly, with the consent of the Military Committee, negotiations were entered into for the formation of a Double Company and, eventually, most satisfactory arrangements were completed with Colonel Edwards, a McGill graduate, now commanding the 38th Battalion C.E.F.

In making the arrangement with Colonel Edwards, it was obviously necessary to undertake to supply the full number of men by a certain date, which was fixed as the 1st of May, 1915, in order to enable those who desired to do so, an opportunity of completing their academic studies for the year. In giving this undertaking I felt confident of being able to furnish most of the men from the Battalion, having in mind that in January last when nothing definite could be announced as to how, and when or with whom the Company would go overseas, 135 men came forward and expressed their willingness to enlist. It is true that a number of these have been prevented from enlisting by their parents, some have been obliged to withdraw their names through force of circumstances, others have enlisted with the McGill Base Hospital and Telegraph Sections. Then, again, others have enlisted in Units where their academic and battalion training is of comparatively little use or advantage either to themselves or their country, whereas their intelligence, spirit, physique and enthusiasm would have been of the greatest value to the McGill Company.

My officers have reported numerous and varied excuses or reasons for members not enlisting in the McGill Company, and I beg leave to deal with the first that comes to mind. It is stated that some have come to look down upon and consider they would be wasted in an Infantry Company and by joining such there will be no scope for exercising their special training and intelligence. Let me ask those in this frame of mind what branch of the service has done more to uphold the honor of the British arms than the Infantry? IT IS THE BACK-BONE OF THE ARMY. If you read your Military Texts you will find that all other branches of the service are sub-servient to the Infantry; their several duties being confined to protecting and to preparing the way for the final assault by the Infantry upon which rests success or defeat.

I am not denying that men of specialist training might be of greater service in a Specialist Unit provided they are acting in certain capacities but before entering these Units it is wise to ascertain how many positions there are where this special training will be useful and what is the likelihood of their obtaining the appointment. I feel confident that many members of the Battalion have enlisted in branches of the service other than Infantry, knowing absolutely nothing of what will be required of them and the nature of their work. These men will play the game and be a credit to whatever corps they have joined. My only regret is that through their ignorance or through the ignorance of their advisers they have not been properly placed.

In an Infantry Company a high type of man is required, especially under the conditions of the present campaign. An Infantry soldier is no longer a machine, he must be an intelligent fighter and occasions constantly arise where the educated man has an opportunity of exercising his intelligence to the credit and distinction of himself and of his Corps and to the advantage of his country.

Picture to yourself the McGill Company at the front, composed of men specially trained in mining, civil and mechanical engineering, trained in medicine, trained in languages and all men of intelligence.

Will the McGill Company so composed have to wait a day, two days or a week until a company of Engineers appears on the scene to restore a demolished bridge or lay out defence works or to mine a road? Will there not be men right in the Company who are capable of doing this work?

Will the wounded men suffer from inattention owing to the absence of the Medical Units in other parts of the field? Will there not be men right in the McGill Company capable of giving the necessary First Aid?

Will the McGill Company have to wait for an interpreter before it can successfully co-operate with a neighboring ally? Will there not be men in the Company in addition to the officers, who are fully conversant in French and other languages?

Will the McGill Company have to wait until the corps of guides or scouts arrive to make a reconnaissance or report on the country ahead? Will there not be men in the Company capable of doing this work? Will there not be numerous similar opportunities of the McGill Company distinguishing itself?

Let me ask those who are now hesitating to join if they have honestly any doubt that the McGill Company so equipped has anything but an honourable and glorious future before it? Will the authorities be slow to recognize a Company of this kind and the men composing it? Will it be kept long from the firing line? Is anybody's intelligence going to be wasted in a Company of this kind? Will such a Company reflect discredit on McGill? On the other hand, have you not the opportunity of bringing everlasting fame to your College by enlisting in the Overseas Company, making it McGill in fact and not merely in name.

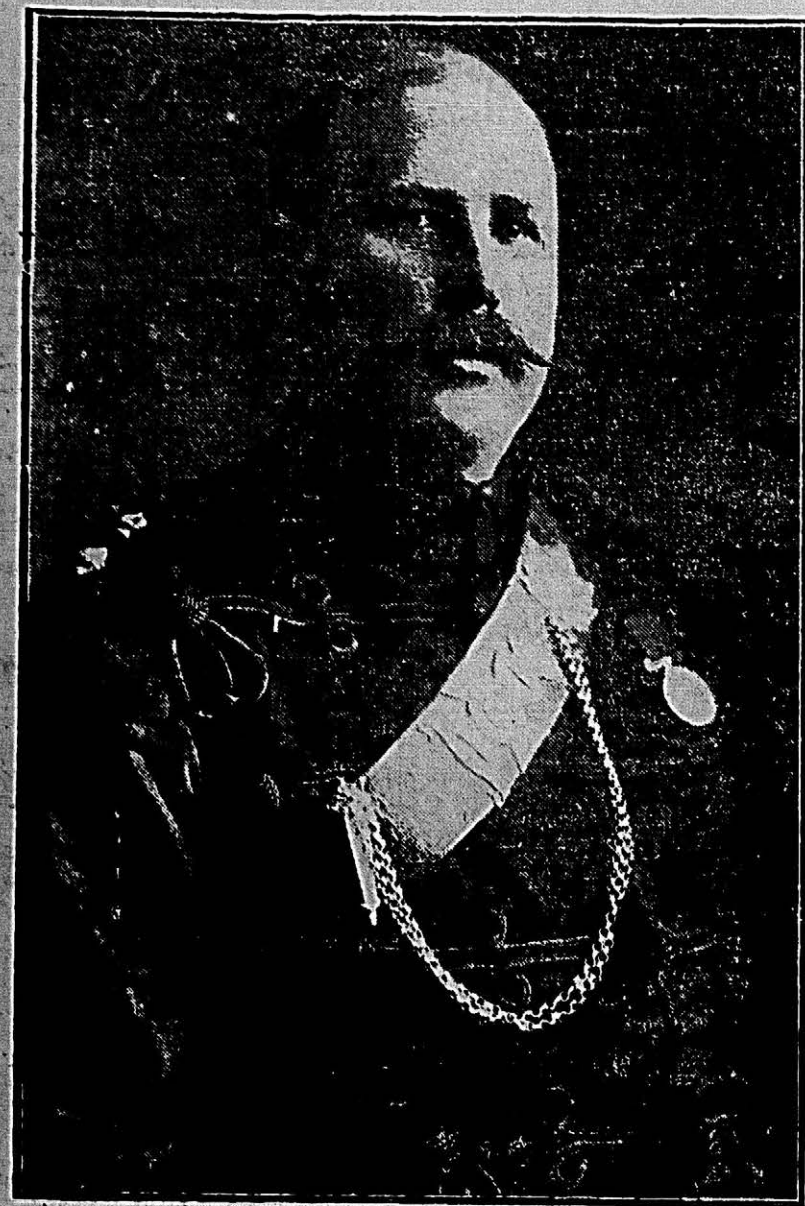
The Overseas Company is going to Ottawa on May 1st, full strength; it will go to the front; it will make good; it will return with honor and distinction; but MCGILL MEN IS THIS HONOR AND DISTINCTION GOING TO BE YOURS, OR WILL THE CREDIT BE DUE TO OTHERS WHO HAVE TAKEN YOUR RIGHTFUL PLACE IN THE RANKS?

With regard to the officers, I am proud and glad to say that I have every confidence in them and am of the opinion that no Company has gone or is going from Canada better equipped in that respect. On the outbreak of war they decided to serve their country and enrolled with the Officers' Training Corps, and on the formation of the Battalion they were selected as officers. At their examinations they were successful and all highly commended by their examiners. It is true their experience dates from the 4th of August, but let me state that since that time they, as well as all other members of the Battalion, have had more experience and training in practical field work than any other Canadian Militia Unit has had in the last five years. The officers are all McGill men. Notwithstanding other offers they have remained here, preferring to serve with the McGill Company and with McGill men. Their hearts are with the Company and they will see to its interest and welfare, and I would personally be proud and willing to serve under them and to follow their leadership.

To those desiring to be officers and especially to those who are unwilling to go to the front except with Commissions, let me say that enlistment with the Overseas Company in no way precludes a man from obtaining a Commission and we have the written undertaking of Colonel Edwards in this respect.

I shall only be too glad to do everything in my power to obtain Commissions for those I consider

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Lieut.-Col. Robert Starke, Officer Commanding the McGill Battalion C.O.T.C.

### Battalion Order

BATTALION ORDER NO. 21 BY  
LIEUT.-COL. ROBERT STARKE,  
COMMANDING MCGILL CONTINGENT C.O.T.C.

Montreal, March 17, 1915.  
NOTICE.

By special request of H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught, the Battalion will be present for Royal Inspection on Fletcher's Field, Tuesday afternoon, March 23rd, at 2.30 p.m.

#### PARADE.

The Battalion will parade on Tuesday, March 23rd, at 1.45 p.m., Burnside street, facing north, band, headquarters and "A" company on the right in the order mentioned.

Before falling in each man will secure rifle, bayonet and belt.

#### DRESS.

For this occasion officers will wear S. B. belt underneath mackinaws, staff cap, mackinaw, tan or dark gloves to be worn. Person and clothing will be given special attention at this inspection.

#### INFORMATION.

There will be a half holiday in all faculties on this occasion. No leave of absence will be granted unless for valid reasons. In the event of any change in the above, notice will appear in the usual places and also in the Montreal Gazette on Monday morning the 22nd instant.

#### ORGANIZATION.

On and after this date, Platoons will be divided into two sections and not four as formerly.

F. S. B. HEWARD,  
Captain and Acting Adjutant.

### C. P. R. Corps

#### Filling Up

Many McGill men have sent in applications for a place with the Canadian Overseas Railway Construction Corps, being organized by the C.P.R. This corps will be one of specialists, the men being chosen in accordance with the practical experience each has had. The examination is very strict, the men, to qualify, must be 5 feet 8 inches tall and have a 36 inch chest. The men are being recruited from all over Canada and will assemble at St. John for several weeks' training. Foremen and men in other responsible positions will receive non-commissioned rank, depending on the importance of their position. In addition to the regular scale of pay, special working pay, field allowance and separation allowance will be granted. The experience will be of great value to any McGill men fortunate enough to secure positions, and about twenty men have put in applications.

### Murray is With Flying Corps

The older McGill men will be interested to learn that W. E. G. Murray, the first editor of the Daily, and a prominent man in track athletics, who has been at Oxford as a McGill Rhodes Scholar, is now a member of the Flying Corps. Mr. A. H. Coates, a former McGill man, received a letter from "Bill" who told of his experiences on the firing line. Murray was on the firing line for a week, as a Lieutenant in the 14th Highland Light Infantry, when he was transferred to the Flying Corps as observer. After three weeks' training in England, he has now returned to the front with this corps. He writes that, while his highest flight so far was one of 7,800 feet, yet he likes the game fine.

### Western Men Join Company

Word has just been received from Saskatchewan that seventeen men have signed up this week in the Saskatchewan action of the McGill Overseas Company. Thirty-five men are expected to volunteer with this section before they leave for Montreal. Among those who have already signed up are R. J. McPherson, editor of the Sheaf, and C. M. and J. Cameron, sons of Reeve Cameron of Cory Municipality, and vice-president of the Rural Municipality Association.

### REGIMENTAL BAND

There will be a band rehearsal this afternoon in the Union, at 5 o'clock sharp. The band will turn out for church parades on Sunday, March 21st, at 10 o'clock sharp, at Strathcona Hall. Will the following men please turn in at rehearsal to-day, a complete list of regimental property is in their possession:

A. Larose,  
W. C. Willard,  
E. L. Lyons,  
K. Roseborough,  
C. Monat.

C. W. RYAN,  
Drum Major.

### Congregational Men Enlist

The men of the Congregational College are not behind in showing their loyalty to the Empire; already two are at the front; three others have enlisted, and two or three more have indicated their intention of volunteering as soon as they can get matters arranged.

Mr. James Hooper went with the Army Medical Corps in the first contingent. Mr. Godfrey Cooper, of Arts '14, enlisted with the second contingent and is already across the ocean. Mr. A. L. Richards, Mr. O. S. Craik and Mr. T. W. Bale have joined the McGill General Hospital. It is expected that within a few days at least three more will have enlisted, so the C.C.C. is pretty well represented, considering the fact that there are only twenty men in college altogether. It looks as though the theologs were doing their share around old McGill.

### Election of Union House Committee Men

Competition in Arts Only, Other Members Being Elected By Acclamation

Voting for the Union house committee takes place to-day in the Arts Building, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Only in Arts is there any competition, as the representatives from the other faculties have been elected by acclamation. In Medicine, F. D. Moore, '17, and L. N. Matthews, '17, are returned unopposed; Allan Clarke and D. G. Dunbar, both of Science, '17, have been elected by acclamation from that faculty. D. A. McDonald, Law '17, secretary, and H. M. Laing, Law '17, were also chosen for the committee. In Arts there are three candidates in the field, two of whom are to be elected. They are F. S. Planché, '16; F. Banfield, '17, and W. H. Ald, '17.

### PROF. LEACOCK WILL LECTURE IN TORONTO.

Prof. Leacock will lecture in the interests of the Belgian relief fund of the Franco-British Aid Society at the Art, Alexandra Theatre, Toronto, on March 29.

### "AN HOTEL OF DISTINCTION WITH MODERATE CHARGES"

The Vanderbilt Hotel, Thirty-Fourth Street East at Park Avenue, New York, has a situation unique on the Metropolis' broadest avenue, overlooking to the northward the aristocratic residences and the famous Morgan Library; at the threshold of the shopping district; three minutes from three railway terminals; convenient to the theatres—"In the world but not of it."

The last word of the mechanical engineer, the sanitary engineer and the architect—insuring safety, health and comfort. Six hundred rooms are exposed to direct sunlight. Each bedroom has a private bath. The sense of security and safety to one living on the upper floors—away from the noise and the dust of the city—and the view of the magnificent East River are all quite worth while.

The decorations and furniture throughout the hotel combine the comfort of the American manor house with the smartness of the eighteenth century. The cuisine and service of the Vanderbilt are unequalled. Any McGill man—be he student, professor or graduate—will here find a most comfortable home.



H.R.H. The Duke of Connaught, who will inspect the McGill Battalion and Overseas Company on Tuesday, March 23rd.

### MUSKETRY NOTICE.

The following musketry instructors will attend at 7 p.m., at C.O.T.C. Headquarters, Joseph House, on Tuesday, March 23rd.

- Anyone unable to attend will make arrangements for a substitute.
- MORGAN'S—Foster, Gallop, Johnston, H. W.
- NEW HIGH SCHOOL—McDougall, J. C.
- Ludlow, Costigan.
- G. S. S. GORDON, Lieut. and Asst. Musk. Instructor.

### Inoculation

NO. 3 GENERAL HOSPITAL (MCGILL).

The following students will report at the Pathological Department of the Montreal General Hospital for typhoid inoculation on Friday, March 19th, next at 3 p.m.:—Aronwald, W. C., Beveridge, W. W., Davidson, Wm., Powrie, H. P., Gallagher, G. C., Henry, C. B., Hutcheon, B. O., Macdonald, A. L., Macdonald, D. C., MacCormack, R. R., McCullough, J. R., Macdonald, H. R., Rose, R. H., Bell, A. R., Keeping, B. C., Kinsman, B. L., Lapp, V. H., Leach, D. R., Lockhart, J. B., Manning, C. R., Mitchell, R. L., Palmer, J. R., Ross, D. E., Scrivner, W. D., Stuart, C. G. S., Trefay, H. S., Ballantyne, J. K., Williamson, N. T., Bisset, C. W., Chisholm, A. M., Carson, W. J., Hunter, W. A., Miller, F. C., Parsons, W. S., Roman, L., Skinner, B. W., Tennant, P., Winke, C. B., Wright, H. S., Abel, R. C., Church, C. F., Gall, C. I., Guion, Norman, Lowry, R. C., Mack, H. J., McCusken, E. A., Lyons, A. A., Ord, W. E., Padgett, F. S., Price, E. F., Redman, B. C., Read, J., C. Belanger, P. B., Baby, C. R., Keane, C. D., Kennedy, C., Laing, C., Martin, A. J., MacNaughton, B. F., Ramsay, J. D., Sharp, A. D., Smith, L., Templeman, W., Wainwright, C. C., Walcott, F. S., White, H. C., Wilson, R. D., White, Harold, Ross, R. D., Apps, O. O., Eberts, H. F., H. DeMuth, Otto.

### "1916" ANNUAL WILL CONTAIN MANY FEATURES

(Continued from page 1.) replaced by good solid material of living interest. The book is dedicated to "Our Heroes at the Front," with the First and Second Contingents, and is decidedly patriotic in tone. Among the notable features are an article on the Base Hospital by the C.O., an historical sketch of the C.O.T.C., with pictures of the officers and N.C.O.s, and a two-page photograph of the regiment, a bird's eye view of the college buildings, inserted by courtesy of Mr. H. D. Nichols; a copy of Prof. Nobbs' plans for the new stadium; and more space devoted to Theology and Macdonald College. The drawings in this year's number are of an exceptionally high order.

In compiling the book, the editors have kept ever before them the desire to make the War Number of the "Annual" as interesting, as original, and as true a reflection of the spirit of the times, as their poor abilities would allow of. The result of their labors they present to the Junior Year and to the student body at large in the confident hope that it will satisfy and please.

The literary worth of the "Annual," such as it is, is fixed—the work of the editors is done. It now only remains to make the book a financial success. In this work it is the duty of every Junior to assist the business board by facilitating circulation to the best of his ability. Boost the "Annual," in so doing you will not be dissembling, and you will be doing a real service both to your Alma Mater and to those whom you persuade to buy it.

In the student mind the "Annual" is perhaps too closely associated with the Junior Year. In reality it is just as interesting to the freshman and graduate—especially is this true of "Old McGill, 1916," for the like of the present session will never come again. Buy the "Annual." Persuade your friends to buy it—you will never regret it and neither will they.

### DR. R. A. BOWIE JOINS HOSPITAL CORPS.

DR. R. A. Bowie, Medicine, '11, late of Brockville, Ont., who went to England late in December, has been accepted by the military authorities for active service and will be attached to one of the base hospitals in France.

### Hospital Order

ORDERS BY LIEUT.-COL. H. S. BIRKETT, OFFICER COMMANDING NO. 3 GENERAL HOSPITAL (MCGILL).

Montreal, March 17, 1915. (Time issued: two o'clock).

DETAILS (23)

1. Orderly Officer for Thursday, March 18th—Mr. R. H. Malone.

Next for Duty—Mr. C. P. Howard.

APPOINTMENTS.

2. Lieut. L. H. McKim is taken on the strength of this unit with effect from the 16th instant.

3. Prov. Lieut. L. Rhea is taken on the strength of this unit with effect from the 16th instant.

4. Sergeant-Major E. J. McCleery, Canadian Army Medical Corps reported for duty on the 16th inst., and is taken on the strength accordingly.

W. B. HOWELL,  
Captain and Acting Adjutant.

### ORCHESTRA IS DESERVING OF GOOD SUPPORT

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Is this proportion what it should be? Other universities give the most wholehearted support to those of their student activities, which give genuine pleasure to all concerned. Hardly an outsider is to be seen at their meetings—there is no room!

Unless the Students' Orchestra is backed by the student body at large, it will naturally disperse, at the very time when it has been doing its best work.

Appended is the programme for Wednesday evening, and a list of the members' names:

#### PROGRAMME.

Part I.

I. Overture, Trumpets of the Fort, Gruenwald, the orchestra.

II. Soprano solo, orchestra accompaniment, Berceuse from Jocelyn, Godard, Miss Lilian Thom.

III. Selections (a) Evening Song, Schubert, (b) The Lark, Glinka, The Orchestra.

IV. Brass quartette, Madrigal, Sullivan: Messrs Gibbs, Ruggles, H. Williamson and C. Williamson.

V. Cello solo, Kol Nidre, Bruch, Mr. Yves Lamontagne.

VI. String Quartette, Minuet, Paderewski, Messrs. Presner Turnbull, O'Regan and Lamontagne.

VII. Selection, Aragonaise, Massenet, The Orchestra.

Part II.

I. Overture, Hungarian Lustspiel, Keler Rola, The Orchestra.

II. Violin solo, Hejre Kat!, Hubay, Mr. Philip Presner.

III. Concertino for Clarinet, Weber, orchestra accompaniment, Mr. Dean Robinson.

IV. Soprano solo, Sognal, Schira, Miss Lilian Thom.

V. Selection, Aida, Verdi, The Orchestra.

VI. Flute solo, Selected, Mr. Jules Avner.

VII. Selection, Remick's Hits, parloriana, Mrs. Lampe, The Orchestra.

Conductor—Chas. Williamson.

#### FIRST VIOLIN.

J. O'Regan, Medicine '16.

E. Lunney, Medicine '17.

F. Presner, Arts '18.

M. Galt, Arts '18.

H. A. Barrett, Medicine '16.

Miss A. McDermott.

#### SECOND VIOLIN.

P. Abenovich, Science '14.

J. R. Kilgour, Arts '17.

Tim O'Heir, Arts '17.

Mr. Turnbull, Science '17.

A. T. Bone, Science '16.

Mr. Gregson, Medicine '18.

#### VIOLA.

E. G. Young, Arts '16.

#### CELLIST.

Mr. Yves Lamontagne, Science '18.

Alex. Gregg, Arts '16.

#### FLUTE.

J. Avner, Science '17.

CLARINETTE.

J. D. Robinson, Medicine '17.

CORNET.

C. R. Gibbs, Science '18.

H. L. Ruggles, Science '16.

HORNS.

H. F. Williamson, Agriculture '15.

D. Coombs, Science '17.

TROMBONE.

Mr. Millette.

STRING BASS.

W. H. Norman.

WIND BASS.

Mr. McLean, Science '17.

PIANO.

C. J. Tildmarsh, Arts '18.

MANAGER.

J. D. Robinson.



## ANNUAL MEETING OF LIT. WILL BE HELD TO-MORROW

Important Meeting at Strathcona  
Hall at Five O'clock To-  
morrow Afternoon

## CLUB HAS NOT HAD GOOD YEAR

Efforts to Revive Mock Parlia-  
ment Unavailing—Hope for  
Better Success Next Year

The annual meeting of the Literary and Debating Society will be held to-morrow afternoon at five o'clock in Strathcona Hall. It is urged that all members be present. It cannot be said that the Lit. Deb. Society at McGill this year, despite the untiring efforts of the officers of the club, matters military which have occupied so prominent a place in student activities at McGill during the past session have been mainly responsible for the decline of the society's activities, but it is urgently hoped that next year better success will attend the society. It is strongly urged that as many as possible attend the meeting to-morrow, as there is much business to be discussed.

Speaking to the "McGill Daily" last night, P. S. Fisher, secretary of the Lit. Deb. Society, said that he wished to make quite clear to the student body, that the society had done all possible in its power to revive the Mock Parliament this year, but that all efforts had been unavailing, that a revival meeting had been called and whips appointed for each party, but that a careful canvass of the students had failed to elicit the slightest sympathy in the project at such a late date.

It is also announced that, by special request of Mrs. Bedford herself, the Bedford Cup Competition will not be held by the society this year.

## ANNOUNCES STUDENTS' COUNCIL DEBT NOW WIPED OFF SLATE

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Mr. Butler asked if the proposal should be turned down what would be the result. In such an event, Mr. Mathewson replied, all control of athletics would be taken out of the hand of the Council, and it would be left to take charge of the Literary and Debating Society (Laughter).

On motion of Mr. Oliver, seconded by L. H. Ballantyne, it was decided, after some discussion, to add a paragraph to the agreement stating that upon the complete payment of the principal the agreement should be terminated. Should this amendment not be agreeable to the graduates, it will be necessary to call another meeting to deal with the question.

That the society were extended, on motion, to Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Starke and Major A. A. Magee for their untiring interest in and attention to the McGill Battalion.

After expressing his thanks to the undergraduates, and especially to the four officers, Mr. Mathewson, who is his successor, said that he would be glad to see Mr. Lamb (thank) the students for returning him to office, and stated that he hoped to be able to keep the balance on the credit side next year.

The meeting adjourned. C. T. Oughtred moved a vote of thanks to the retiring president.

## MCGILL TRACK MEN HAVE HAD A MOST SUCCESSFUL SEASON

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Finally, when Sutherland took all three of the weights in order, the day was ours.

O. Fraser won a swell race in the 440 yards event, with White a close second.

Gerrie finished second in the 3-mile event, the most sensational finish of the day.

Farthing, Rutherford and Crombie all did good work.

The final score was McGill 63 points, Toronto 44, and Queen's 16.

The most pleasing feature of this last season's teams is the fact that most of the men and other opponents were freshmen and consequently will be available for a few years to come.

Three men are in 15; 2 are in 16; 10 in 18.

Of the seniors, our hardest losses will be White, MacDonald, and Hovey.

The personnel of our 1914-15 track team was: Smelzer, Med. 18; Heon, Arts 17; Fraser, Med. 18; White, MacDonald, 15; Parsons, Science 17; Crombie, Med. 17; Rutherford, Science 17; Gerrie, Science 17; Skinner, MacDonald 17; Farthing, Arts 18; Cushing, Science 17; Sutherland, Science 17; Hovey, Science 15; Hutcheon, Arts 17; Marsh, Science 17; Alberici, Science 15; Segault, Science 18; C. Fraser.

## MCGILL MEDS. RECEIVE MORE INSTRUCTIONS

Meds., Who Are Going to be  
Given Opportunity to Visit  
Home

## UNIFORMS TO BE ISSUED MONDAY

Full List of Equipment to be  
Taken is Given in Full

Student members of the McGill General Hospital, whose homes are within reasonable distance from Montreal, will be granted leave of absence from Thursday afternoon, April 1, till 9 a.m. Monday, the 5th, in order to enable them to pay a last visit before the unit leaves for Europe.

The men who desire leave of absence must apply to Capt. Howell before the date mentioned above and must report for duty at 9 o'clock on Monday, April 5. Failing this they will be treated as defaulters.

Yesterday, when seen by the Daily, Lieut.-Col. Birckett, commander of the unit, urged the men to take advantage of this opportunity to visit their homes for the last time before they depart. He said that the unit would be leaving for Europe on Monday, April 5, and that the Duke and Duchess of Connaught will come down from Ottawa for a special inspection of this unit, when it is fully organized. The Duke has graciously consented to attend officers' mess.

It is generally believed around college that the Hospital staff will not be ordered to leave before the middle of next month.

The officers of the Hospital will attend church parade next Sunday, but as the privates will not receive their uniforms before Monday, it will be impossible for them to attend. It is understood that the uniform will be the usual service uniform of the Army Medical Corps. It will be made of khaki, with a Red Cross on the right sleeve. The only distinguishing mark will be a figure "8" (No. 3 Hospital) on the shoulder straps.

That the Hospital Corps will take with them:

- Clothing.
- Boots (ankle).
- Braces.
- Cap (service dress with badge).
- Disc (identity with cord).
- Drawers (woollen).
- Jacket (service dress, metal titles with field dressing).
- Knife (clasp, with marine spike and tin opener).
- Paybook (issued in Europe).
- Puces.
- Shirts.
- Socks.
- Trousers (service dress).
- Waistcoat (cardigan).
- Belt (waist).
- Braces (with buckle).
- Frog.
- Haversack.
- Pack.
- Articles carried in the pack:
- Cap.
- Comforter.
- Holdall, containing laces, toothbrush, razor and case, shaving brush, comb.
- Great Coat (with metal titles).
- Housewife, fitted.
- Med. Tin and Cover.
- Socks (worsted).
- Soap.
- Towel (hand).

## Y.W.C.A. TO HOLD A TEA IN R.V.C.

Proceeds will Go Towards Send-  
ing Delegates to Summer  
Conference at Muskoka

This brings the last issue of the Daily. The committee in charge of the Y.W.C.A. tea, to be held on March 27th, from 2 to 6 p.m., in the Common Room of the R.V.C., wish to remind all McGill students (men and women) and faculties, that by patronizing the Common Room on that date, they may be assured of a most enjoyable tea, at a nominal figure. Candles will also be on sale. The proceeds of the tea are to be used to send delegates to the Summer Conference at Muskoka. The usual sale for raising funds for this purpose gave way to Red Cross work in the fall. All are welcome.

## A SUMMER IN EUROPE

Being some further experiences of A. B. Darbyson, Arch. '15, George Creeford Brown Scholar, in Europe, just previous to the outbreak of war, and during war-time.

It was the 26th of July when we reached Lucerne. Even at that time it was chilly enough in the evenings for the use of overcoats. Down along the Ruedplatz thousands of people of all nationalities could be seen. It is estimated that over 350,000 people visit Lucerne in a summer—60 per cent of whom are Americans and English.

In the Kursaal (Casino) itself, men and women were moving about in a rather nervous manner for two weeks back the papers had contained many rumors of a military nature which gave much cause for alarm.

While in Lucerne I became acquainted with a French journalist from Paris who although optimistic on the subject of war, grew up with remarkable accuracy the eventual outcome. Upon his advice we left Lucerne on Friday 31st, with a great deal of regret at the time, and proceeded to Paris where we arrived on Friday evening. Paris was strangely quiet that night. Along the Champs Elysees thousands of men and women were gathered in a large group reading the headlines and discussing what was about to happen, with the exception of a few arrests, everything was normal; perhaps below the normal state. The police and natives eyed you in a very suspicious manner. The cafes and theatres, in fact all the places of amusement, were open that evening. However, on the following day, a different state of affairs was to be seen, for a great deal of excitement was predominant. In the afternoon one noticed that not only the street car services were being discontinued, but the buses had been taken off. Even the taxi-cabs became scarce. It was a very common sight to witness a couple of men overpower a taxi-cab driver and drive the car themselves if he did not wish to convey them to their destination. General fights were taking place in every quarter and you had to be extremely careful where you went to and what you did and said.

That evening, Mr. X, the famous socialist, was shot while sitting in one of the cafes. The shooting took place about 10.30. An American chap (whom I had met at Basel) and I were only a block away at the time. By following the crowd we soon learned what had taken place, and saw the following Sunday we had intended visiting Versailles and see the fountains play, but we were doomed to disappointment for at breakfast 3 pills and a cup of coffee, we learned from the papers that Germany had declared war on France. All foreigners were to leave Paris within 24 hours, unless a special permit could be obtained.

Upon visiting the railway station we found that thousands were waiting for information. The men behind the counter were like mad men. To have had the opportunity to gain information would have been futile for these clerks did not know when the trains were leaving and they did not seem to care. Most of the regular trains had been taken over for troops, which had already started to mobilize. Eventually we learned that no trains would be leaving for Havre that day, but for some days to come. Upon learning this we decided to visit the Consular offices. The American Consular office which was only a few steps away from the station, we found crammed to the doors. The only way to reach the Consular office was on foot. All traffic had practically stopped. The few taxis which were in evidence skinned past at a fearful rate and the limited number of cabs were driven by women.

The British Consular office, like the American one, was also jammed to the doors. Notwithstanding the trouble and heat, there was much humor floating about. After waiting about an hour and a half I obtained a passport. From that day on, the most amusing part of the journey was the special train had been put on for Havre at 4.30. It was then 2.30, and we had to walk all the way back, pack up and get down to the station. To get down to the station was the great trouble. On our way from the Consular office to the hotel we witnessed nine fights, 7 with fists and two with revolvers. Few people were to be seen on the streets, however. Most of the people were indoors, looking out of the windows. Some were also looking out but endeavoring to throw others out. Everybody seemed to have gone mad. On turning a corner a taxi-cab wizzed past, bringing some military man somewhere in great haste. 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# College Athletics



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## COACH SMITH GIVES HINTS ON WRESTLING GAME

Good Instruction Is Absolutely  
Necessary to Novices at  
the Game

## SKILL COUNTS NOT STRENGTH

The Secret of Endurance is to  
Take Every Chance to Rest

Having been requested by the McGill Daily to write an article on wrestling, I find myself at a loss as to which phase of the game to deal with. I think I will give a bit of advice to incoming participants, mentioning the advantages of this game over most others as a body builder, including strength, quickness of eye and hand, agility, co-ordination of the muscular system, and its effects as a corrective force.

Wrestling is preeminently fitted, above all other sports, to give a man all the above qualities which are absolutely necessary in these strenuous days of ours. Not only that, but it is above all a pleasant sport to take part in. Of course, at first, until the muscles become habituated to the unusual strain, it is a bit hard; but after learning the game, it is surprising how enjoyable it becomes, what fine condition it puts you in, and the feeling of control it gives you over the whole body. It seems to knit the entire body into one compact mass when the muscles are set. This is where the co-ordination comes in. Any strain is distributed evenly over the whole body.

In starting this game it is advisable to take it up under a careful instructor, so as to avoid overdoing it, and becoming discouraged at the falls and buffeting you are bound to receive if pitted against stronger and more experienced opponents. At the start, put all the do or die spirit you might have against being thrown. While in practice, falls do not count, and you are only stopping your progress when by sheer strength you force your way out of a bad position when by a little coolness and thought, a simple roll or spin will get you out without waste of strength. Also, you are likely to try the same thing in competition, where all the time you need to conserve your energy for any occasion that might arise, in which you will really need it. The ten years' experience I have had as instructor of wrestling I find the hardest part is to get the boys to forget about the falls they are continually trying to take, and think more of the proper application of holds, which, when applied right, gives them the fall.

In class work, where the same boys are to meet in competition later on, the wise wrestler never lets the others know how good he is until the night of the bouts. It is then that falls count. If in practice you are so good that you can handle any boy in the class, and from starting the game you have never allowed yourself to get into danger of being thrown, you have made the biggest mistake you possibly could, for in competition you may meet a stranger who is good enough to get you in bad, and you are lost; you simply do not know what to do. Another thing, if you are never underneath an opponent in practice you do not learn the dozens of ways to throw the upper man from that position. Times without number it is advisable, if you are a good defensive wrestler, to be the man underneath, and catch your opponent on armlocks, grapevines, and other counters that work very well from that position. Of course these must be worked like a flash or they are useless.

Amateurs often wonder why they are so tired after two saxes and a three minute bout of wrestling, no matter how good their condition may seem previous to it, while professionals wrestle for two, three and four hours if necessary.

The reason is the game as in boxing, i. e., unnecessary tensing of the muscles. Learn to apply only the amount of strength necessary to attain your object. If a professional boxer or wrestler would do the way amateurs do he could not stand the strain any more than they could. Allow the body to rest every time it possibly can. Do not wrestle with every muscle tense, thus telling your opponent how strong you are. Another matter which causes the tired feeling is lack of confidence in yourself. You burn up more energy previous to the bout with worry and nervousness than you actually use while working. In all weight classes under the middle weight class a man's natural egotism should help him a lot. Just figure out pound for pound that you are as good as any one in your weight. Even if you are not it helps a lot previous to the bout to think you are. Of course, in the heavy weight class if a man is just over the middle weight limit there is a chance of a big advantage over him in weight. Don't let this worry you. I have seen many big men beaten by smaller but faster men.

Regarding a term used, "stealing strength." By this is meant rendering almost any joint in the body useless; of course, without hurting your opponent. For instance, the neck with the chin gained to chest has an upward strength in it; the arm, leg or thigh, fully bent, has no outward strength. Thus it is seen how a lighter man with skill can equalize the larger man's strength by his own. Also in holding a man's shoulder down, try as often as possible to raise the balance of his body in a position to be pressing against the shoulders on the mat. This aids you to hold him there.

**BENEFITS OF WRESTLING**

To those who have only a slight knowledge of anatomy, the muscular system in their eyes is mainly what can be seen on the surface. But when we consider that the whole body more or less is covered with different layers of muscles in some places more than others, it can be seen the advantage wrestling has over other forms of exercise in bringing these deep layers of muscles into play. Wrestling trains them to co-ordinate with the larger surface muscles, fills up all crevices and gives the body that rounded appearance which most wrestlers have. Take Frank Gotch, who is without a doubt the most wonderful wrestler that has ever been seen. The secret of his success is the wonderful

B. W. F. CLUB.

There will be a meeting of the Boxing, Wrestling and Fencing Club to-day, in the music room of the Union, at 5:00 o'clock.

All members are requested to attend as important business is to be disposed of.

## Meeting of Soccer Team On Friday

Prospects for a Successful Season  
Next Year Are Very Bright

MEETING OF . . . . .

It was heard the other day that soccer has died a natural death. But this is not so. The prospects for next year are exceedingly encouraging. It is expected that the team will be able to get a coach, and there is no reason why the Athletic Association should not give the team a grant. Soccer is an English game, but Yale, Harvard, Columbia and most American universities have strong soccer teams. Variety and Queen's have had excellent soccer teams for many years past, and so has McGill up to the last two years. This is due to the Athletic Association not giving a grant, and it's up to them to see that this goes through because there is good material from the various faculties, and it is also hoped that the team will be able to make some gate receipts. Since the financial position of the Students' Council is much better it will be an inducement for them to see a large number of men to turn out. Some of the past players are amongst some of the well known athletes connected with McGill.

In the absence of last year's executive, a meeting is called for Friday evening at 8.15 in Strathcona Hall and every undergrad interested should be present, as there is to be some important business and elections of officers. The following men are asked to turn up as well as any one else who is interested: Macpherson, Hale, H. Pitts, Johnson, Aggiman, Swancesky, Newhook, Clarke, Winter, R. Branch, E. Branch, Cross, McLennan, McEwen. Everybody up!

## Rehearsal of the R. V. C. Gym. Demonstration

Stage Is Set For To-day's Exhibition

A rehearsal of the gym demonstration was held yesterday, all the numbers went off exceedingly well. The first part of the programme consists of gymnastics, and the second half of dances. The costume dances are very pretty; the Dutch dance is one of the most attractive. Judging from the rehearsal, the demonstration ought to be a complete success.

R. V. C. STUDENTS.

Will all those who have unsold tickets for the gymnastic demonstration, please return them before Friday noon to the representatives for each year.

Freshmen return tickets to Lois Fowler.  
Sophomores return tickets to Marjorie Spier.  
Juniors return tickets to M. Currie or M. Cameron.  
Seniors return tickets to Mary Macoun.

SOME SHARP CUTS.

A man who is full of himself is always empty.—S. Weir Mitchell.

An obstinate man does not hold opinions—they hold him.—Nathan Levey.

Hope is the ability to believe things will improve when you know they won't.—Estelle Klauder.

The difference between a hen and a magazine writer is this—while they both scratch for a living, the hen gets hers. Anon.

It takes two to make a bargain, but only one of them gets it.—J. C. Winston.

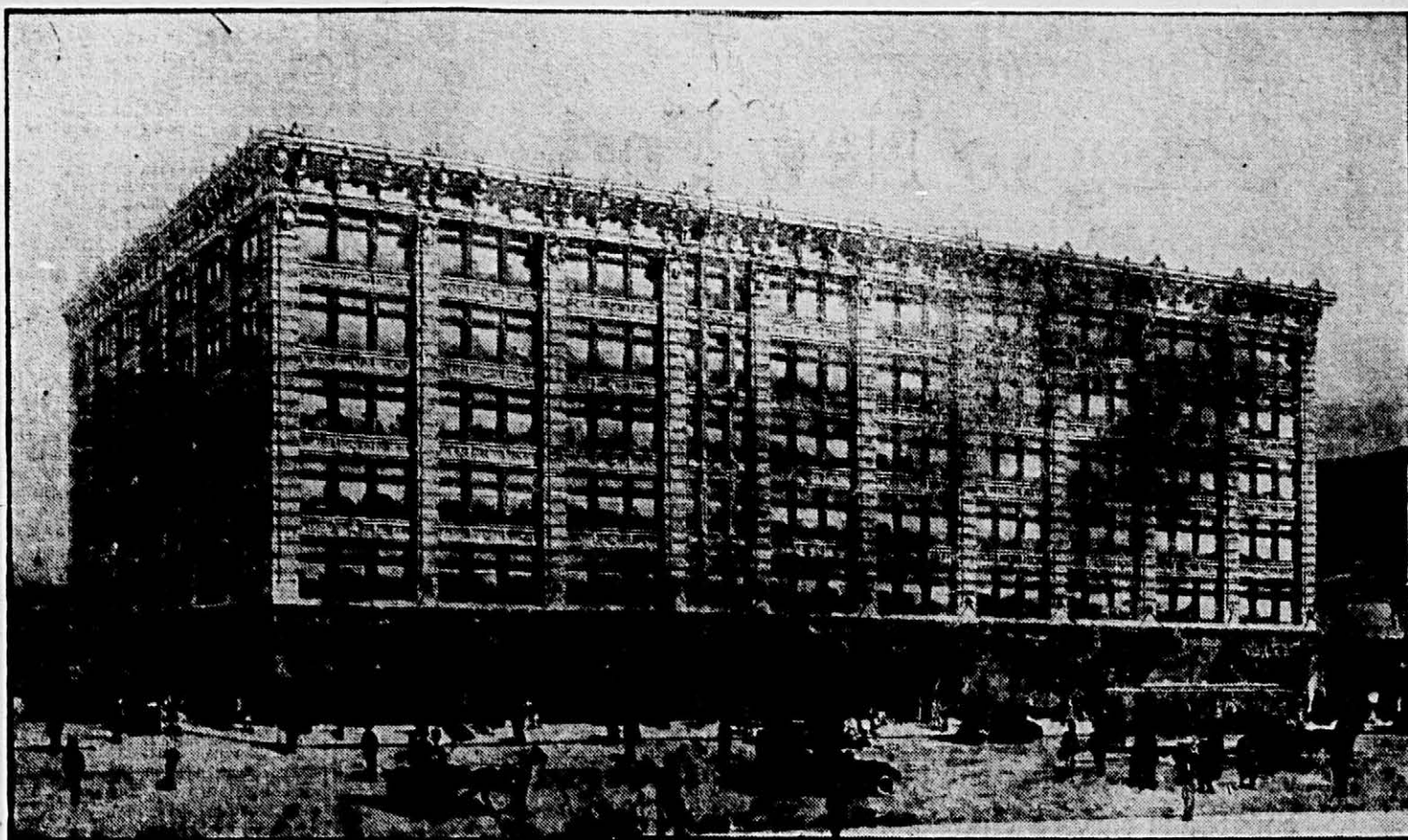
Some girls only get engaged to have a jolly good time with the other fellow.—Sam Mertz.

co-ordination which he has developed, which enables him to overcome men like Hackenschmidt, Zysko and others, who, muscle for muscle, are much bigger and stronger than he, but who have neither his knowledge of muscular combination nor the confidence of Gotch. For instance, a powerful but untrained man will apply a simple half Nelson on an experienced wrestler, which is as most people know, an arm and neck hold. In resisting this the trained man will bring the muscles of the stomach, chest, lower and upper back, as well as shoulder and arm muscles into play, thus increasing his resistance tenfold. Thus the danger of injury is more or less eliminated owing to the strain being evenly distributed over many muscles.

In corrective work, where muscles are too long, and thus allow the shoulder or head to fall forward, we shorten them by contraction exercises. From this instance the advantage of wrestling as a corrective force can be seen—the majority of the holds put a strain on the neck and back muscles, which tend to shorten them with the result that the head is carried higher, and the back much straighter.

Wrestling affords excellent preliminary training for those who intend to go in for boxing. Wrestling not only builds up the body but adds greatly to its resisting power. Hence its great value as a training for boxing.

It is not advisable to attempt to combine the two sports as wrestling gives a boxer a tendency to spar around too much. If a man intends to make a success of one sport he should drop the other.



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This magnificent five-story building, one of the largest and most imposing in Montreal, is substantially constructed on plain, dignified lines, and situated on our leading retail thoroughfare—St. Catherine Street West. The style of the architecture is the French Renaissance, the construction being reinforced concrete with finishings of semi-glazed terra-cotta. While this building at the present time has only five stories, the foundations are built with a view to supporting a ten-story structure if necessary, and the different stories may be added from time to time as required. Its location is one of the finest in the city, facing the St. James Methodist Church, thus

providing a large amount of open space opposite the building. A magnificent view of the mountain is also afforded from the front windows. The windows at the back of the building overlook the beautiful grounds of the Sacred Heart Convent, beyond this St. Patrick's Church, with its beautiful well-kept lawns, and beyond this again is a panoramic view of the city and the St. Lawrence River. This splendid structure was erected for Mr. Jacob A. Jacobs, the well-known mining operator, of Cobalt; secretary-treasurer the Nova Scotia Mining Company; the Peterson Lake Cobalt Mining Co. and other large interests both in Cobalt and Montreal.

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## HERALD DO NOT MISS IT

## McGill Track Men Have Had a Most Successful Season

At the first of this session prospects did not look very bright for this season's successful track team. "Big Mac," the star weight artist, had graduated, and "Mac" was always sure to bring home 15 points in every meet.

Pickard-Cambridge, the 1913-14 three-mile champion, had gone to the front. Hillier, the 1912-14 track sprinter, was handicapped with a very weak ankle, also MacKenzie, the well-known high jumper, was staying out of college for the season.

Naturally, with so many star men gone, our prospects seemed to be nil for the intercollegiate meet. However, thanks to the indefatigable efforts of President Eric Cushing and Manager Paul Clarke, McGill was able to turn out a track team which won the intercollegiate championship in easy style.

After lectures started in October, the track candidates began to turn out for practice simultaneously. The hopes of the track management began to rise as the new men began to show some excellent form. Fraser, Med. '18, who had done some good

work two years previous in the sprints, returned to college for this session and bolstered up the sprinting division of the team. Farthing, a freshman in Arts, proved to be a real find as a high class broad jumper and hurdler. Hutchison, of 2nd year Commerce, showed good form with the discus.

Workouts were held on the campus and three times a week at the M.A.A. grounds, at the commencement of college. About this time, Tom Graydon began to smile occasionally. Evidently things were looking up.

The freshman-sophomore meet brought out some fine athletes, most of these men were freshmen last season, but they were all very much improved.

Heron and Smelzer were both sprinting in great form and looked good enough to fill the vacancy caused by the injury of Hillier.

Don Smelzer was also wonderfully good in the high jump, which was the hardest place on the team to fill. White, from Macdonald College, a track man of several years' experience, turned out to be a star of the first magnitude. His appearance made things look safe for the 440 and 880. He was a very real find for the team.

Crombie was running rather better than he did last year. "Jack" Rutherford also was coming ahead strong. Both men ran a very even race in the freshman-sophomore meet, with Rutherford in the lead.

Gerrie seemed to be a very steady runner and sure of a place in any race.

Cushing, McGill's sensational pole vaulter, was showing excellent form in the pole vault and high jump. Don Sutherland, the weight thrower, showed a tremendous improvement on his last year's work.

The results of the inter-class meet held on the 16th of October, were most cheering.

Heron and Smelzer showed that they were sprinters of championship calibre.

White was undoubtedly the most reliable man on the team and our only

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#### MCGILL ELECTRICAL CLUB TO MEET TO-MORROW.

A meeting of the McGill Electrical Club will be held on Friday evening, March 19th, at 8.15, in Room 23, Engineering building. An illustrated lecture will be delivered by Mr. Alex. Wilson, engineer at the Cedars Rapids power plant, on the subject of "Electrical Development at Cedars Rapids."

#### FREE SPEECH CLUB AT PENNSYLVANIA.

University of Pennsylvania students formed a free speech society recently, and empowered a committee to draw resolutions protesting to the authorities of the institution and those in charge of the Pennsylvania, a daily student publication, because of the alleged attitude of the authorities and the Pennsylvania toward Samuel

Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor. The action was taken at a meeting of about 500 of the students held in Knights of Columbus hall, which was addressed by Mr. Gompers.

The resolution censures the members of the faculty for refusing to permit Mr. Gompers to speak in one of the halls of the university and criticises the editors of the student publication for refusing to announce the day's meeting in the columns of the Pennsylvania. The students announced that stated meetings would be held and speakers in all walks of life invited to deliver addresses.

Education is simply the encouragement of right habits—the fixing of good habits until they become a part of one's nature, and are exercised automatically.

#### FIRE BRIGADE FOR ANDOVER STUDENTS.

Andover.—As a result of the fire in Bartlett hall on the night of December 7, the students of Andover have contrived a plan for a student fire department with offices in each dormitory or private house in which the students live. Much additional equipment has been purchased and fire extinguishers of the latest type will be placed on each floor of each building. Gongs have been arranged for so that an adequate fire alarm will be given in time of necessity.

If you have not known poverty, heart-hunger and misunderstanding, God has overlooked you, and you are to be pitied.  
—From "The Era," Elbert Hubbard's "Journal of Affirmation."

#### Correspondence

The Daily is not responsible for the sentiments of letters published in its correspondence column. Signed communications from graduates, undergraduates and members of the Faculty will be placed in print if they are not too long.

Correspondents are requested to observe the unwritten law of the newspaper office—that they write upon ONE side of the paper ONLY.

#### NO MENTION OF MCGILL.

Editor of McGill Daily,  
228 Sherbrooke Street West,  
City.

Dear Sir,—

Having had my attention called to the report in a recent issue of your paper, on the Rev. C. A. Williams' sermon last Sunday morning at the Mountain Street Methodist Church, I would like to say as one who was present on that occasion that Mr. Williams did not mention the name McGill, or make any reference whatever to your professors or students.

Yours truly,  
J. H. McCOMB.

Montreal, March 17, 1915.

Ed. Note.—With reference to the above communication, the Daily can only say that the words attributed to the rev. gentleman mentioned in our issue of the 15th inst. (including the following sentence): "Would to God that McGill University, of which we Canadians are so justly proud, taught the students to be good and clean, and strong and straight and chivalrous, to be God-like and unselfish, to be steel-tongued and iron-tongued, as Robert Louis Stevenson would say, as well as teaching them to reason and to argue, to plead and to survey and to heal and to dissect. What a magnificent service McGill would then render to the Dominion and to Empire, to God and to the Canada that is and to the Canada that is to be," were dictated by the Rev. Mr. Williams on the Sunday evening following the sermon in question to a representative of this paper, who called upon him at his residence. They were read by the Rev. Mr. Williams from MSS. which our representative was given every reason to believe was that of his sermon of that morning. The following afternoon the Rev. Mr. Williams, in conversation with another member of the editorial staff over the telephone freely admitted that he had referred to McGill in his remarks. The Daily feels obliged to make this statement in defence of the accuracy of the news which it gathers.

#### REV. MR. WILLIAMS' CRITICISMS.

Sir,—  
I fear there is a great deal of truth in the Rev. Mr. Williams' criticisms, though far be it from me to condemn all McGill men. There are some who if they do retain a little of the fresh foolishness of youth, are at any rate worthy of respect; but there are others.

For one thing at least, future aspirants to lead the life of Canada might avoid the vulgar profanity copied from the United States. It is no longer the mark of the "gentleman of high degree" to be a hard drinker and sweeper at Oxford or Cambridge. Even pronounced sceptics avoid it as lowering.

"Dignity is the best policy, boys," I write, not without sympathy, being an ex-college man, though a non-graduate, the latter through no fault of my own. Degree men are not always the most successful in the world.

H. BANCROFT.  
Y. M. C. A., Montreal, Mar. 16, 1915.

#### THE HANDBOOK.

Editor McGill Daily,  
McGill University.

Dear Sir,—  
In reply to your editorial re the "Handbook," I would like to make a suggestion.  
Although not surprised to hear of the financial barrier, I am surprised that the first thought is that of discontinuance.

I don't know what McGill would be without that familiar and useful little book, and personally I should be very sorry to see none for next year.

Accordingly I would urge its publication for 1915-16 and a sufficient amount to cover all expenses regarding it be charged to each man obtaining a copy of it, say, ten cents per copy to freshmen and fifteen cents to undergraduates or more if necessary. I for my part would rather pay twenty-five cents for it than do without it. Hoping it will be published next year I remain, respectfully yours,

R. M. PATTERSON.  
Arts '18.

756 University Street, Montreal  
March 16, 1915.

#### KAHANAMOKU HAS NEW STROKE

Hawaiian Swimmer Is Said to Have Invented a Faster Stroke Than the Crawl Crawl

The performance of Kahanamoku, the Hawaiian, in the New South Wales championship swimming carnival a few days ago, particularly the Olympic record holder's lowering of the world's record for 100 yards of 54 3-5 seconds by four-fifths of a second, has caused a decided stir in Australian swimming circles. Indeed, it is predicted that the Australian "crawl" stroke will have to give way to what is being called the "Kahanamoku kick."

It has been contended ever since "Dick" Cavill first used the "crawl" in championship races that the leg work did not materially assist the pace of the swimmer except in keeping the body well balanced on the water and thus minimizing the retarding effects due to the legs and feet sinking. But this theory was quite upset by the methods of the "Duke" and his swimming mate, George Cunha, also of Hawaii, who use the rapid independent movement of the feet, as against the Australian fashion of swinging the leg from the knee down upon the water at every stroke of the arm. The slow, easy movements of Kahanamoku and Cunha from the hips to the tips of the fingers was markedly in contrast with the Australian "crawl" pitted against them. The buried heads of Barry and Longworth of Sydney, who are among Australia's best, were also in contrast with that of the Hawaiian. The "Duke" kept his head well clear of the water and had, what his competitors did not possess, a clear view of what every opponent was doing.

#### WHILE IN NEW YORK.

McGill men, while in New York, should make the Hotel Belmont their homes. It is an hotel of the highest class, complete in every detail, and absolute in its fireproof qualities. The Belmont is individual for its central location and ready accessibility to all points of the metropolis.

Every large city has its focal point, a sort of nerve centre from which lines of communication radiate. In London it is Charing Cross; in Paris it is the Palais Royal. In New York it is Forty-Second Street at Park Avenue, where stands the Hotel Belmont—the ultimate of what New York has to offer in completeness of service, hospitality and refined surroundings.

Here are a few particulars concerning this giant among the hotels of the world: Cost of Hotel Belmont, \$10,000,000. Twenty-seven stories. Facing three streets, sixteen elevators. Foundation of hotel on solid rock. System of ventilation by filtered air. Complete filtering plant, insuring purest water. Four years in building. Nearly ten thousand tons of steel used. Automatic heat regulators. Telephone equipment in all rooms. More than eight hundred rooms. Delightfully arranged apartments for families. Special Steamship and Travel Bureau. Direct entrance to subway for all express and local trains. Direct sub-surface entrance to Grand Central Terminal.

Mr. B. L. M. Bates, managing director, will extend a special welcome to McGill men so as to make them look upon Hotel Belmont as their ideal New York Home.

#### To Advertisers

As per schedule, the McGill Daily discontinues with this number. Advertisers whose Ads. should appear on Monday are to-day receiving a make-good insertion for that missed during the closing session 1914-15.

## JASSBY'S

Up. 5115 --- Cor. Guy and St. Catherine --- Up. 2589  
Up. 7060---Cor. Mansfield and St. Catherine---Up. 5031  
Up. 5115---293 St. Catherine West, NEXT TO ORPHEUM ---Up. 5115

## THE STUDENTS' DRUG STORES ONE-CENT SALE

All this week we are giving big bargains in a ONE CENT Sale, fairly bristling with extraordinary economies in seasonable merchandise.

Here's the proposition in a nutshell: Pay one cent more than the list price of any advertised article and get two. Full price for the first—one cent for the second. NO MATTER WHAT THE FIRST ARTICLE COSTS—THE SECOND COSTS BUT ONE CENT. The following are only a few samples:

25c Carbolic Salve.....2 for 26c	25c King's Tooth Paste.....2 for 26c
25c Witch Hazel.....2 for 26c	25c Shaving Stick.....2 for 26c
25c doz. Aspirin Tab.....2 for 26c	35c Bristow's.....2 for 26c
25c Lax. Brom. Quin.....2 for 21c	35c Nail Brushes.....2 for 36c
25c Minard's Liniment.....2 for 26c	35c Tooth Brushes.....2 for 36c
50c Dyspepsia Tablets.....2 for 51c	25c Carbolic Soap.....2 for 26c
15c Ivory Soap.....2 for 16c	15c Corn Pads.....2 for 16c
	75c Hair Brushes.....2 for 76c

#### FRESH CANDY

Glazed Fruits and Nuts, the most popular candy in the city today, contain Almonds, Brazils, Cherries, Apricot, Dates, Figs, etc. We make them fresh every hour. Regular 75c lb. Extra special, 2 lbs. for 76c

30c lb. Turkish Delight.....2 for 31c

5c Spearmint or.....2 for 6c

15c Fruit Bars.....2 for 16c

15c Walnut Bars.....2 for 16c

40c lb. Orchard Fruits.....2 lbs. for 41c

We have just received from our Candy factory one thousand boxes of delicious assorted Chocolates, rich Creams and Hard Centres. These sell regular at 60c per lb. Extra special, 2 lbs. for 61c

Here's a chance to buy two lbs. of our Rich Cream Caramels for the price of one lb. These are made in our own Candy factory and comprise Maple, Walnut, Cocoa-nut, Marshmallow, Opera, etc. Reg. 50c lb. Extra special, 2 lbs. for 51c

#### JASSBY'S TEA ROOMS

Admitted to be the finest in Canada. AFTERNOON TEAS AND LIGHT LUNCHEONS. OUR SPECIALTY. Telephone your friends to meet you in our COSY DUTCH TEA ROOM. Corner Mansfield and St. Catherine. We serve all the latest specialties in FROZEN DAINTIES. Courteous and Prompt Service.

# LYON SHOES, LIMITED

## AFTER INVENTORY SALE

We have just completed Stocktaking, and we find many lines with broken assortments and several lines which we are discontinuing. We are prepared to give you some of the greatest bargains of real good footwear for every member of the family.

### SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK

Ladies' Patent Colt, Gun Metal Calf, Black Satin, Black Cravanne and Vici Kid Buttoned Boots. Regular values up to \$6.00. Closing Out Price .....

**\$2.95**

Ladies' Spats and Gaiters, in all the very newest shades, such as Fawn, Grey, Taupe, Sand colors, and Nigger Brown. Values up to \$2.00. Special Sale Price

**79c and 99c**

Ladies' Patent Colt and Gun Metal Calf Buttoned, Blucher style, with kid tops, and some with cloth tops. Regular values up to \$4.50. Closing Out Price .....

**\$2.45**

Boys' Boots, in Gun Metal Calf, Tan Russian Calf and Patent Colt, buttoned and Blucher styles; the well-known Boy Scout make. Values up to \$4. Clearing Out Sale Price .....

**\$1.95**

Men's Patent Colt, Gun Metal Calf, and Vici Kid Buttoned, Blucher and Straight Laced Styles, cloth tops and kid tops, genuine Custom made Shoes. Values up to \$7.00. Clearing Price .....

**\$3.95**

Ladies' High Grade Buttoned Boots, the very latest, with grey and fawn quarters, in either suede or cloth. Regular values up to \$7.00. Closing Out

**\$3.95**

Sale Price .....

Men's Tan Russian Calf Buttoned and Straight Laced Styles, newest lasts. Values up to \$6. Clearing Out Price .....

**\$3.45**

15% Off on all our Hanan and Son Shoes for This Special Sale.

No Mail Charges, 'Phone or C. O. D. During This Sale.

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